

Weiner Wilson (NM) Wu
Wexler Woolsey Wynn

NOT VOTING—16

Baca Hyde Myrick
Davis, Jo Ann Istook Radanovich
Emanuel Johnson, Sam Reyes
Gutierrez Jones (NC) Roybal-Allard
Harman Kolbe
Hostettler Miller, Gary

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Mr. AL GREEN of Texas changed his vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So the conference report was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

EXPRESSING SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING EDUCATION CURRICULUM IN SAUDI ARABIA

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HASTINGS of Washington). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 275.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Florida (Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 275, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 351, nays 1, answered “present” 2, not voting 79, as follows:

[Roll No. 671]

YEAS—351

Aderholt	Butterfield	Dicks
Akin	Camp (MI)	Dingell
Alexander	Campbell (CA)	Doggett
Allen	Cannon	Doolittle
Andrews	Cantor	Drake
Bachus	Capito	Dreier
Baird	Capps	Duncan
Baldwin	Capuano	Edwards
Barrett (SC)	Carnahan	Ehlers
Barrow	Carson	Emerson
Bartlett (MD)	Case	Engel
Bass	Castle	English (PA)
Bean	Chabot	Eshoo
Beauprez	Chandler	Etheridge
Becerra	Clay	Evans
Berkley	Cleaver	Farr
Berman	Clyburn	Fattah
Berry	Cole (OK)	Feeney
Biggart	Conaway	Ferguson
Bilirakis	Conyers	Filner
Bishop (GA)	Cooper	Fitzpatrick (PA)
Bishop (NY)	Costa	Foley
Bishop (UT)	Costello	Ford
Blackburn	Cramer	Fortenberry
Blumenauer	Crenshaw	Foxx
Boehrlert	Cubin	Frank (MA)
Boehner	Cuellar	Franks (AZ)
Bonner	Culberson	Frelinghuysen
Bono	Cummings	Gallegly
Boozman	Davis (AL)	Garrett (NJ)
Boren	Davis (CA)	Gerlach
Boswell	Davis (FL)	Gibbons
Boucher	Davis (IL)	Gilchrest
Boustany	Davis (KY)	Gillmor
Boyd	Davis (TN)	Gingrey
Bradley (NH)	Davis, Tom	Gohmert
Brady (PA)	Deal (GA)	Gonzalez
Brown (SC)	DeFazio	Goode
Brown, Corrine	DeGette	Goodlatte
Brown-Waite,	DeLauro	Gordon
Ginny	DeLay	Green (WI)
Burgess	Dent	Green, Al

Green, Gene	McCotter	Sanders	Johnson, Sam	Miller (FL)	Radanovich
Grijalva	McDermott	Saxton	Jones (NC)	Miller, Gary	Rangel
Gutknecht	McGovern	Schakowsky	Kolbe	Moran (KS)	Reyes
Harris	McHenry	Schiff	Larson (CT)	Murtha	Rohrabacher
Hart	McIntyre	Schmitt	LaTourette	Myrick	Roybal-Allard
Hastings (FL)	McMorris	Schwartz (PA)	Leach	Neal (MA)	Ryan (WI)
Hastings (WA)	Meehan	Schwarz (MI)	Lewis (CA)	Obey	Sherwood
Hayworth	Meek (FL)	Scott (GA)	Lynch	Ortiz	Slaughter
Hefley	Meeks (NY)	Scott (VA)	McCrery	Pearce	Thornberry
Hensarling	Melancon	Sensenbrenner	McHugh	Peterson (PA)	Velázquez
Herger	Menendez	Serrano	McKeon	Petri	Waters
Herseth	Mica	Sessions	McKinney	Pitts	
Higgins	Michaud	Shadegg	McNulty	Pryce (OH)	
Hinchee	Millender	Shaw			
Hobson	McDonald	Shays			
Holden	Miller (MI)	Sherman			
Holt	Miller (NC)	Shimkus			
Honda	Miller, George	Shuster			
Hooley	Mollohan	Simmons			
Hoyer	Moore (KS)	Simpson			
Inglis (SC)	Moore (WI)	Skelton			
Inslee	Moran (VA)	Smith (NJ)			
Israel	Murphy	Smith (TX)			
Issa	Musgrave	Smith (WA)			
Jackson (IL)	Nadler	Snyder			
Jackson-Lee	Napolitano	Sodrel			
(TX)	Neugebauer	Solis			
Jefferson	Ney	Souder			
Jindal	Northup	Spratt			
Johnson (IL)	Norwood	Stark			
Johnson, E. B.	Nunes	Stearns			
Jones (OH)	Nussle	Strickland			
Kanjorski	Oberstar	Stupak			
Kaptur	Oliver	Sullivan			
Keller	Osborne	Sweeney			
Kelly	Otter	Tancred			
Kennedy (MN)	Owens	Tanner			
Kennedy (RI)	Oxley	Tauscher			
Kildee	Pallone	Taylor (MS)			
Kilpatrick (MI)	Pascarella	Terry			
Kind	Pastor	Thomas			
King (IA)	Payne	Thompson (CA)			
King (NY)	Pelosi	Thompson (MS)			
Kingston	Pence	Tiahrt			
Kirk	Peterson (MN)	Tiberi			
Kline	Pickering	Tierney			
Knollenberg	Platts	Towns			
Kucinich	Poe	Turner			
Kuhl (NY)	Pombo	Udall (CO)			
LaHood	Pomeroy	Udall (NM)			
Langevin	Porter	Upton			
Lantos	Price (GA)	Van Hollen			
Larsen (WA)	Price (NC)	Visclosky			
Latham	Putnam	Walden (OR)			
Lee	Rahall	Walsh			
Levin	Ramstad	Wamp			
Lewis (GA)	Regula	Wasserman			
Lewis (KY)	Rehberg	Schultz			
Linder	Reichert	Watson			
Lipinski	Renzi	Watt			
LoBiondo	Reynolds	Waxman			
Lofgren, Zoe	Rogers (AL)	Weiner			
Lowey	Rogers (KY)	Weldon (FL)			
Lucas	Rogers (MI)	Weldon (PA)			
Lungren, Daniel	Ros-Lehtinen	Weller			
E.	Ross	Westmoreland			
Mack	Rothman	Wexler			
Maloney	Royce	Whitfield			
Manzullo	Ruppersberger	Wicker			
Marchant	Rush	Wilson (NM)			
Markey	Ryan (OH)	Wilson (SC)			
Marshall	Ryun (KS)	Wolf			
Matheson	Sabo	Woolsey			
Matsui	Salazar	Wu			
McCarthy	Sánchez, Linda	Wynn			
McCaul (TX)	T.	Young (AK)			
McCullum (MN)	Sanchez, Loretta	Young (FL)			

NAYS—1

Paul

ANSWERED “PRESENT”—2

Abercrombie Taylor (NC)

NOT VOTING—79

Ackerman	Chocola	Graves
Baca	Coble	Gutierrez
Baker	Crowley	Hall
Barton (TX)	Davis, Jo Ann	Harman
Blunt	Delahunt	Hayes
Bonilla	Diaz-Balart, L.	Hinojosa
Brady (TX)	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hoekstra
Brown (OH)	Doyle	Hostettler
Burton (IN)	Emanuel	Hulshof
Buyer	Everett	Hunter
Calvert	Flake	Hyde
Cardin	Forbes	Istook
Cardoza	Fossella	Jenkins
Carter	Granger	Johnson (CT)

Johnson, Sam
Jones (NC)
Kolbe
Larson (CT)
LaTourette
Leach
Lewis (CA)
Lynch
McCrery
McHugh
McKeon
McKinney
McNulty

Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Murtha
Myrick
Neal (MA)
Obey
Ortiz
Pearce
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Pitts
Pryce (OH)

Radanovich
Rangel
Reyes
Rohrabacher
Roybal-Allard
Ryan (WI)
Sherwood
Slaughter
Thornberry
Velázquez
Waters

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised 2 minutes remain in this vote.

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So (two-thirds of those voting having responded in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

THANKS TO THE STAFF

(Mr. NUSSLE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. NUSSLE. Mr. Speaker, I want to first thank all of the staff that worked so hard to bring us to this point in time and the leadership on the Budget Committee, and I would like to pay a special thanks to the floor staff and the official reporters and the clerk staff and everyone who stuck around with us on this very late day and night and into the morning. The sacrifices that everyone makes for us we really do deeply appreciate, and we give you our heartiest thanks and best wishes these holidays.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. NUSSLE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks on S. 1932, the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 just passed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Iowa?

There was no objection.

JUNIOR DUCK STAMP REAUTHORIZATION AMENDMENTS ACT OF 2005

Mr. POMBO. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Resources be discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 3179) to reauthorize and amend the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and Design Program Act of 1994, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

The Clerk read the bill, as follows:

H.R. 3179

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Junior Duck Stamp Reauthorization Amendments Act of 2005”.

SEC. 2. USE OF PROCEEDS FROM LICENSING AND MARKETING OF JUNIOR DUCK STAMPS AND JUNIOR DUCK STAMP DESIGNS.

Section 3(c) of the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and Design Program Act of 1994 (16 U.S.C. 719a(c)) is amended to read as follows:

“(c) USE OF PROCEEDS.—Amounts received under subsection (b)—

“(1) shall be available to the Secretary until expended, without further appropriations, solely for—

“(A) awards, prizes, and scholarships to individuals who submit designs in competitions under subsection (a), that are—

“(i) selected in such a competition as winning designs; or

“(ii) otherwise determined in such a competition to be superior;

“(B) awards and prizes to schools, students, teachers, and other participants to further education activities related to the conservation education goals of the Program;

“(C) award ceremonies for winners of national and State Junior Duck Stamp competitions;

“(D) travel expenses for winners of national and State Junior Duck Stamp competitions to award ceremonies, if—

“(i) the event is intended to honor students for winning a national competition; or

“(ii) the event is intended to honor students for winning a State competition;

“(E) expenses for licensing and marketing under subsection (b);

“(F) expenses for migratory bird reference materials or supplies awarded to schools that participate in the Program; and

“(G) expenses for marketing and educational materials developed to promote the Program.”.

SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

Section 6 of the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and Design Program Act of 1994 (16 U.S.C. 719c) is amended—

(1) by striking “\$250,000” and inserting “\$350,000”;

(2) by striking “fiscal years 2001 through 2005” and inserting “fiscal years 2006 through 2010”;

(3) by inserting “(a) AUTHORIZATION.—” before the first sentence; and

(4) by adding at the end the following:

“(b) LIMITATIONS ON USE FOR DISTRIBUTION TO STATE AND REGIONAL COORDINATORS TO IMPLEMENT COMPETITIONS.—Of the amount appropriated under this section for a fiscal year—

“(1) not more than \$100,000 may be used by the Secretary to administer the Program; and

“(2) not more than \$250,000 may be distributed to State and regional coordinators to implement competitions under the Program.”.

SEC. 4. REPEAL.

The second section 6 of the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and Design Program Act of 1994 (16 U.S.C. 668dd note), relating to an environmental education center and refuge headquarters, is repealed.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

AUTHORIZING CERTAIN REPAYMENT CONTRACTS

Mr. POMBO. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Resources be discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 4000) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to revise certain repayment contracts with the Bostwick Irrigation District in Nebraska, the Kansas Bostwick Irrigation District No. 2, the Frenchman-Cambridge Irrigation District, and the Webster Irrigation District No. 4, all a part of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

The Clerk read the bill, as follows:

H.R. 4000

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. BOSTWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT IN NEBRASKA; REPAYMENTS EQUALIZED AND RESERVE FUNDS CONTRIBUTIONS EXTENDED.

The Secretary of the Interior may revise the repayment contract with the Bostwick Irrigation District in Nebraska numbered 009D6B0121 and all amendatory contracts thereto, by equalizing the annual total repayment obligation under the contracts for the distribution works construction charge and the water supply repayment obligation for the remaining years of the contract relying upon the annual water supply repayment obligation as of the date of the enactment of this Act as the base for equalizing the annual total payments and by extending the date for adjusting the annual deposits into the distribution works reserve fund and the district water supply reserve fund for an additional 10 years.

SEC. 2. KANSAS BOSTWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT NO. 2; REPAYMENTS EQUALIZED AND RESERVE FUNDS CONTRIBUTIONS EXTENDED.

The Secretary of the Interior may revise the repayment contract with the Kansas Bostwick Irrigation District No. 2 numbered 009D6B0120 and all amendatory contracts thereto, by equalizing the annual total repayment obligation under the contracts for the distribution works construction charge and the water supply repayment obligation for the remaining years of the contract relying upon the annual water supply repayment obligation as of the date of the enactment of this Act as the base for equalizing the annual total payments and by extending the date for adjusting the annual deposits into the distribution works reserve fund and the district water supply reserve fund for an additional 10 years.

SEC. 3. FRENCHMAN-CAMBRIDGE IRRIGATION DISTRICT; REPAYMENTS EQUALIZED AND RESERVE FUNDS CONTRIBUTIONS EXTENDED.

The Secretary of the Interior may revise the repayment contract with the Frenchman-Cambridge Irrigation District numbered 009D6B0122 and all amendatory contracts thereto, by equalizing the annual total repayment obligation under the contracts for the distribution works construction charge and the water supply repayment obligation for the remaining years of the contract relying upon the annual water supply repayment obligation as of the date of the enactment of

this Act as the base for equalizing the annual total payments and by extending the date for adjusting the annual deposits into the distribution works reserve fund and the district water supply reserve fund for an additional 10 years.

SEC. 4. WEBSTER IRRIGATION DISTRICT; REPAYMENTS EQUALIZED AND RESERVE FUNDS CONTRIBUTIONS EXTENDED.

The Secretary of the Interior may revise the repayment contract with the Webster Irrigation District numbered 039D6B0002 and all amendatory contracts thereto, by equalizing the annual total repayment obligation under the contracts for the distribution works construction charge and the water supply repayment obligation for the remaining years of the contract relying upon the annual water supply repayment obligation as of the date of the enactment of this Act as the base for equalizing the annual total payments and by extending the date for adjusting the annual deposits into the distribution works reserve fund and the district water supply reserve fund for an additional 10 years.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE REFORM CONFORMING AMENDMENTS ACT OF 2005

Mr. POMBO. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Financial Services be discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 4636) to enact the technical and conforming amendments necessary to implement the Federal Deposit Insurance Reform Act of 2005, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts. Reserving the right to object, Mr. Speaker, we have before us a very well-done bill, and what is before us is good and useful and constructive.

I do have to call attention, however, to a glaring omission caused by the Senate. When our committee considered this measure to merge the insurance funds, the gentlewoman from California (Ms. WATERS) offered a proposal to establish what we call lifeline banking, a provision to extend to very low-income people the ability to get into the banking system at no cost to themselves, lessening the likelihood that they would go to payday lenders or check-cashing institutions to send excessively expensive money orders.

And we worked this out and there were discussions with the representatives of the bankers, and we arrived at a satisfactory means of paying for it. It is not a very expensive proposal, and it would have done significant social good.

Unfortunately, the Senate simply refused to consider it. The Senate procedure on a number of the bills we have sent over has been arbitrary and the result has been unfortunate. What is